



## RE-DESIGNED REAAA WEBSITE TO SERVE YOU BETTER

The re-designed REAAA Website, with the new domain name [www.reaaa.net](http://www.reaaa.net) was officially launched on 22 November 2007. It is designed to provide more comprehensive and updated information to REAAA members. The website is also served as an effective link amongst members, and with other related institutions, associations and organisations. It is also to enable non members and visitors to have a better understanding of the Association, its role and functions, with the hope to attract more members and to enhance the image of REAAA internationally.

The re-designed website was officially launched by the Deputy Minister of Works, Malaysia Dato' Ir. Mohd Zin bin Mohamed. The launching was part of the event to mark the opening ceremony of the 84<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the REAAA Governing Council and the inaugural meeting of the Heads of Road Authorities, HORA Disaster Risk Management Advisory Group. Dato' Ir. Mohd Zin officiated the opening ceremony and delivered the speech on behalf of the Honorable Minister of Works Malaysia, Dato' Seri S. Samy Vellu.



Deputy Minister of Works, Malaysia Dato' Ir. Mohd Zin bin Mohamed (2<sup>nd</sup> from right) pressing the button to officially launch the re-designed REAAA website. Joining him are (3<sup>rd</sup> from right) the REAAA President Dr. Kyong -Soo Yoo and (far right) Vice President of REAAA Dato' Sri Prof. Ir. Dr. Judin Abdul Karim who is the Director General of Public Works Department, Malaysia

A 1 minute-20 second video clip presentation marking the launching of the re-designed REAAA website.

More details on our website on page 8 & 9.



### WEBSITE

Welcome  
to  
**REAAA.net**



### REAAA WEBSITE



Your link to the region's technology & information exchange in road-related industries with:

- » REAAA members
- » Chapters
- » Member countries
- » International bodies

### REAAA WEBSITE



- » To establish wider network
- » To encourage sharing of information
- » To promote transfer of technology

## The Governing Council for the 13<sup>th</sup> Council Term



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China Road Federation, Taiwan

(Mr. Jin-Yuen Chen)

RSEA Engineering Corporation, Taiwan

(Mr. Ou Lai-Chen)

Roads Association of Thailand

(Mr. Aram Kornsobut)

### Co-Opted Council Members

Mr. Han Joke Kwang (Malaysia)

Mr. Kieran Sharp (Australia)

Dato' Dr. Dennis Ganendra (Malaysia)

Mr. Keon-Chang Cho (Korea)

Road Bureau, MOCT (Korea)

## CHANGES IN COUNCIL MEMBER REPRESENTATIVES

The Council has been informed at the 84<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Governing Council held on 22 November 2007 in Genting Highlands, Malaysia that there have been changes in Council member representatives for New Zealand, the Philippines, Taiwan and Thailand.



Mr. Richard Steel

### New Zealand:

Mr. Richard Steel is now the Chairman of the New Zealand Chapter succeeding Mr. Michael Rudge who has stepped down as the chairman.

The Council thanked Mr. Mike Rudge for his excellent services and contributions to REAAA and the New Zealand Chapter. The Council welcomed his successor Mr. Richard Steel to the Council representing the New Zealand Chapter.

### The Philippines:

Mr. Bashir Rasuman was elected as the President of REAP (Road Engineering Association of the Philippines) at the REAP Annual Convention in early October 2007. Mr. Rasuman will represent REAP as the official representative to the REAAA Council, replacing Mr. Jesus Cammayo.

Mr. Rafeal Yabut has been elected the chairman of the Philippine Chapter, taking over from Mr. Jaime H. Pajara. Mr. Yabut is now the official representative for the Philippine Chapter. The 84<sup>th</sup> Council meeting welcomed Mr. Rasuman and Mr. Yabut to the Council and thanked Mr. Cammayo and Mr. Pajara for their excellent services and contributions to REAAA.



Mr. Bashir Rasuman



Mr. Rafael Yabut



Mr. Ou Lai-Chen

### Taiwan:

Mr. Ou Lai-Chen will now be the official representative for RSEA Engineering Corporation, succeeding Mr. Shen Ching-Peng. Mr. Ou has recently assumed the post of President of RSEA.

The Council meeting welcomed Mr. Ou to the Council and thanked Mr. Shen for his contributions and excellent services to REAAA.

### Thailand:

Mr. Aram Kornsobut will be the official representative for the Roads Association of Thailand, succeeding Mr. Tavepatana Tinamas.

Mr. Aram has been elected the President of RATH. The meeting welcomed Mr. Aram to the Council and thanked Mr. Tinamas for his contributions and excellent services to the Association.



Mr. Aram  
Kornsobut

### Co-opted Council member

The 84<sup>th</sup> Council meeting adopted a resolution to co-opt the Road Bureau, Ministry of Construction and Transportation, Korea, as a Council member. The resolution was made under the REAAA Constitution Article 13 (1).

REAAA President Dr. Kyong-Soo Yoo welcomed the Road Bureau, MOCT Korea to the Council as a co-opted Council member. He expressed confidence that the Road Bureau would be able to contribute much to REAAA. With the participation of the Road Bureau and the support of the Ministry of Construction and Transportation, Dr Yoo was optimistic that the premier event of REAAA, the 13<sup>th</sup> REAAA Conference scheduled to be held in October 2009 in Seoul, Korea would be a great success.

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## COUNCIL MEETING WITH POSITIVE OUTCOMES



A group photograph taken just before the 84<sup>th</sup> Council Meeting at First World Hotel, Genting Highlands, Malaysia

**The 84<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the REAAA Governing Council has been successfully concluded on 22 November 2007 in Genting Highlands, Malaysia. Several important decisions were made and proposals presented to further strengthen REAAA, making it a very fruitful meeting.** It was attended by 22 Council members. HORA delegates from 13 countries attending the inaugural meeting of the Disaster Risk management Advisory Group were invited and attended the Council meeting as observers.

The Meeting has adopted a resolution to co-opt the Road Bureau of the Ministry of Construction and Transportation, Korea to be co-opted Council member. With this, the Governing Council for the 13<sup>th</sup> Term has 30 members with 25 elected and 5 co-opted. REAAA President, Dr. Kyong-Soo Yoo expressed confidence that the Road Bureau would be able to contribute much to REAAA. With the participation of the Road Bureau and the support of the Ministry of Construction and Transportation, Dr Yoo is optimistic that the premier event of REAAA, the 13<sup>th</sup> REAAA Conference scheduled to be held in October 2009 in Seoul, Korea would be a great success.

The Council meeting, after deliberations, accepted the proposal to increase the membership strength by 10% which is the target for all Chapters to achieve for 2008. The Association currently has 1,552 members.

The Council approved the re-designed REAAA website with the domain name of [www.reaaa.net](http://www.reaaa.net). The website is designed to provide better services to REAAA members. It is also to serve as an effective link amongst members. The Meeting was also briefed on the preparations made by Japan to host the next Council Meeting in June 2008, as well as the agenda for the 7<sup>th</sup> HORA Meeting.

These were among the salient points discussed and decided at the 84<sup>th</sup> Council meeting. The Meeting, chaired by REAAA President, Dr. Kyong-Soo Yoo, was held at the Genting International Convention Centre in Genting Highlands, Malaysia.

Dr. Yoo on behalf of the Governing Council, extended his sincere thanks to the Ministry of Works, Malaysia and the Public Works Department, Malaysia for organizing and hosting the event.

Dr. Yoo also expressed his sincere gratitude and appreciation to the Road Engineering Association of Malaysia; the Institution of Highways and Transportation, IHT (Malaysia Branch); Khairi Consult Private Limited; Belati Wangsa Private Limited, Roadcare Private Limited; Selia Selenggara Selatan Private Limited; and other individuals and organizations for sponsoring the meetings and its associated activities, and others who have contributed directly or indirectly to the success of all the events.



## DEPUTY MINISTER OFFICIATES THE OPENING CEREMONY

Malaysia has successfully hosted the 84<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the REAAA Governing Council and the Inaugural meeting of the HORA Disaster Risk Management Advisory Group held in Genting Highlands, Malaysia on November 22-23, 2007. The meetings have been well-attended and actively participated.

### Opening Ceremony

The opening ceremony for the two meetings and the launching of the re-designed REAAA website was officiated by the Deputy Minister of Works, Malaysia Dato' Ir. Mohd Zin bin Mohamed on behalf of the Hon. Minister of Works, Dato Seri S. Samy Vellu.

In his speech, the Minister commended the initiative taken by REAAA to organise the HORA workshop to focus on the topic 'Disaster Risk Management'. He described the topic as timely and appropriate, in the wake of a number of devastations caused by natural disasters such as tsunami catastrophe and the recent severe floods experienced by countries in this region. He said well coordinated actions are therefore needed to be taken considering that more often than not the global response to such disasters is often immediate and massive, but not always channelled to be as coordinated and efficient as would be desirable.



Deputy Minister of Works, Malaysia Dato' Ir. Mohd Zin bin Mohamed (centre) arriving for the opening ceremony, accompanying by REAAA President Dr. Kyong-Soo Yoo (left) and REAAA Vice President Dato' Sri Prof. Ir. Dr. Judin Abdul Karim (right) who is also the Director-General of Public Works Department, Malaysia

### Ensuring Effectiveness

The Minister called on REAAA to continue playing its role to ensure that the annual Heads of Road Authorities (HORA) meeting is effective in producing positive results for the benefit of all countries in this region. He is confident the next HORA meeting to be held in Japan, will be productive, fruitful and successful.

### Collaboration with Funding Agencies Proposed

The Minister proposed that REAAA to collaborate with funding agencies such as World Bank and the Asian Development Bank to finance projects initiated by REAAA. He suggested REAAA to take up a common project within a certain country to be funded by these agencies.



Honourable Deputy Minister of Works, Malaysia Dato' Ir. Mohd Zin bin Mohamed delivering the opening speech on behalf of the Hon. Minister of Works, Dato Seri S. Samy Vellu



The opening ceremony on 22 November 2007 at Genting International Convention Centre, First World Hotel, Genting Highlands, Malaysia

### Attendance

Council members and HORA delegates from 13 countries attended the opening ceremony. The 13 countries are: Australia, Brunei, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, the Philippines, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Taiwan, Thailand, and Vietnam. Also present were senior officials from the Ministry of Works and Department of Public Works Malaysia. The events were jointly organized by the Public Works Department Malaysia and REAAA.

## ADVISORY GROUP ON DISASTER RISK MANAGEMENT ACTION PLAN FORMULATED

The HORA Advisory Group (earlier known as the Working Group) on Disaster Risk Management established to play a key role in managing regional disasters, held its inaugural meeting on 22 November 2007 in Genting Highlands, Malaysia to formulate an action plan. The meeting was held in conjunction with the 84<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the REAAA Governing Council. The Advisory group was set up at the 6th HORA meeting on 9 & 10 May 2007 in Gyeonggi-do, Korea.

### Attendance

Representatives from 13 countries attended the inaugural meeting. Also present were REAAA Council members. The 13 countries are: Australia, Brunei, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, the Philippines, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Taiwan, Thailand, and Vietnam.

REAAA President Dr. Kyong-Soo Yoo who chaired the meeting hoped Indonesia and Pakistan would send their representatives for the next meeting as the two countries have been invited and accepted to join the Advisory group.



Representatives from 13 countries attending the inaugural meeting of the Advisory Group in Genting Highlands, Malaysia

### Confirmation of Membership

The meeting confirmed the membership of the advisory group as follows:

Australia:	Kieran Sharp (Convenor – Chairman of Technical Committee)
Brunei	Haji Ismail bin Hj. Md. Jaafar
Indonesia	Gandhi Harahap
Japan	Keiichi Tamura
Korea	Choon-Joo Lee
Malaysia	Dato' Ir. Azmi Hassan
New Zealand	Rick van Barneveld
Pacific Islands	Gabriel Tomtai (Papua New Guinea)
Pakistan	to be nominated by Ministry of Communications
Philippines	Bashir D. Rasuman
Singapore	Yap Boon-Leong
Sri Lanka	R.M. Amarasekara
Taiwan	to be nominated by China Road Federation
Thailand	Nopadol Prapaitrakul
Vietnam	Ngo Quang Dao
REAAA Secretariat	KS Loh

### Workshop

Mr. Kieran Sharp, the Convenor and Chairman of the REAAA Technical Committee, was invited to conduct the workshop. Mr. Sharp said the Advisory Group should be seen as the 'voice' in the region, and the focal point for other international agencies, in the area of disaster risk management.



Mr. Kieran Sharp (left) presenting his views when conducting the workshop





## JAPAN TO HOST 85<sup>TH</sup> MEETING OF REAAA GOVERNING COUNCIL 7<sup>TH</sup> MEETING OF HEADS OF ROAD AUTHORITIES IN JUNE 2008



**Japan is making early preparation for hosting the 85<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the REAAA Governing Council and the 7<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Heads of Road Authorities, HORA. The meetings are scheduled to be held in Tokyo, Japan from June 4-6, 2008.**

Mr. Asao Yamakawa who is representing Japan Road Association as a Council member, informed the Governing Council at its 84<sup>th</sup> Meeting in Genting Highlands, Malaysia, that Japan has drawn up the tentative itinerary with the 85<sup>th</sup> Council Meeting to be held on June 4 and the 7<sup>th</sup> HORA Meeting on June 5.



Mr. Asao Yamakawa briefing the meeting on Japan's preparation for the next Council meeting

Several topics are being proposed to be included in the Agenda for the HORA Meeting. They include:

- Disaster Risk Management (Continuation from the previous meetings)
- Privatisation of Road Facilities (final presentation before a handbook is published)
- Road Asset Managements
- Funding Mechanism for R&D, or Source of Funds for Financing HORA Projects / Programmes
- Road Safety and Environment

Invitation letter will be extended to Heads of Road Authorities in the Asia, Australasia and the Pacific Region in February 2008 once the details are finalized.

### Role

The workshop after a long deliberation, redefined the role of the Advisory Group with the following purposes:

- share experiences/practices in the region with respect to road infrastructure disaster risk management
- prepare a Compendium which reports current practice and lessons learned relating to road infrastructure disaster risk management
- disseminate relevant information through workshops and publications

### Strategies

Two fundamental strategies in line with the role of REAAA in disaster risk management are proposed:

- prepare a Compendium which presents current practice and lessons learned
- Establish a web-based repository for current relevant practice and experience:
- encourage individuals and member organisations to use database to benchmark disaster risk management activities within their region
- would be reliant on an improved REAAA website

### Compendium

On the compendium, the workshop proposed the following:

- Establish an Advisory Panel responsible for the preparation of Compendium:
  - one member from each country/region to be represented
- Promote Compendium at conferences and exhibitions
  - facilitate discussions and workshops
- Coordinate study tours to a countries with 'best practice' systems in place and use these as a training exercise
- Prepare guidelines and standards and use this information to improve current highway design manuals in areas such as drainage, culverts, bridges, slope stability, etc.

### Progress Report

A progress report is targeted to be ready for presentation at the 7<sup>th</sup> HORA Meeting to be held in Tokyo, Japan in early June 2008.

# RE-DESIGNED WEBSITE TO SERVE YOU BETTER

REAAA members are encouraged to frequently visit the website which is part of efforts to improve our services to the members. The website will provide updated and relevant information on the road-related industry.

The website address is: [www.reaaa.net](http://www.reaaa.net)

The redesigned website was officially launched on 22 November 2007 in conjunction with the 84<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the REAAA Governing Council in Genting Highlands, Malaysia. The launching was officiated by the Deputy Minister of Works, Dato' Ir. Mohd Zin bin Mohamed on behalf of the Minister of Works, Dato' Seri S. Samy Vellu.

The Minister, in his speech commended REAAA for taking the initiative to provide better services to its members by launching the website which will serve as an effective link among its members.



The redesigned website comprises seven main pages with the features as follows:

HOME PAGE	ABOUT REAAA	NEWS & EVENTS	PUBLICATIONS	PROJECTS & OPPORTUNITIES	MEMBERSHIP	CONTACT US
	History	Announcement	Newsletter	Projects & Tender	Qualification	Contact Us
	Role & Objectives	Council Meeting	Journal		Schedule of Fees	Advertisement
	Constitution	HORA Meeting	Membership Directory		Join Us	Links
	Strategic Plan	REAAA Conference				
	Org. Chart	General Meeting				
	• Governing Council	Katahira Award				
	• Committees	Chapter's News				
	• Chapters	REAAA-Endorsed Events				
	• Secretariat	Forthcoming Conferences				



## SECOND STAGE OF WEBSITE DEVELOPMENT

The above is the first stage of our website development. We are embarking on the second stage of the development which will create exclusive areas for REAAA Council members and REAAA members. Individual user name and password are to be given to gain access to the exclusive areas. More details will be featured in the next issue of the REAAA Newsletter.

## BACKGROUND

- The REAAA Secretariat has officially taken over from the Philippines the management, development and maintenance of the Website as decided by the Council at its 83<sup>rd</sup> Meeting in May 2007 in Korea. The Secretariat is to undertake all related matters including payment for web hosting, domain name, web design & development, and maintenance. The re-designed website was completed by the end of September 2007.
- The original REAAA Website was officially launched in May 2003 during the 11<sup>th</sup> REAAA Conference in Cairns, Australia. The Philippines, through the Road Engineering Association of the Philippines, REAP with the agreement of the Governing Council had earlier volunteered to shoulder the initial cost of the website redevelopment and the annual maintenance of the website. The Council thanked the Philippines for its contributions and efforts.
- The Council has agreed to go for the domain name www.reaaa.net at its 83<sup>rd</sup> Council meeting. The domain name was registered on 11 June 2007.



## COST & ADVERTISEMENT

The REAAA Secretariat hopes to solicit advertisements to help finance the cost involved in the development and maintenance of the website.

The Council at its 84<sup>th</sup> Meeting approved the advertisement rates as follows:

Banners	Size (Pixels)	6 months	12 months
(Home Page) Front Page left or right	150 X 120	RM 600	RM 1,000
(Inside Page )left <i>In every page of the 30 web pages, three (3) advertisements will be accommodated.</i>	150 X 120	RM 400	RM 600

## SEEKING COOPERATION

REAAA Council members, REAAA Chapters, member countries and REAAA members are requested to:

- assist in the solicitation of advertisements as proposed above
- provide information about upcoming and future projects, tenders in their respective countries/organizations/ departments
- provide other data or information that need to be updated or incorporated in the website
- visit the website frequently

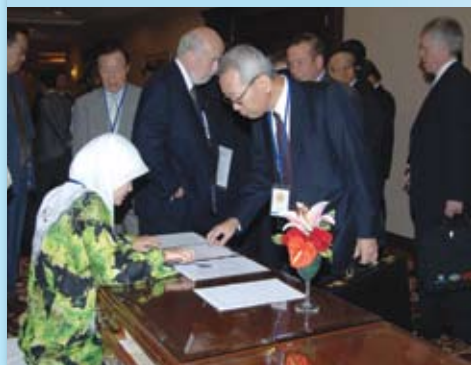


# MEETINGS IN MALAYSIA

Genting Highlands, November 2007

## 84<sup>th</sup> Meeting of Governing Council

22 November 2007



22 November 2007

## HORA Disaster Risk Management Advisory Group Meeting



## Welcome Dinner

21 November 2007



22 November 2007

## Dinner





## NEWLY CREATED ‘KATAHIRA JOURNAL AWARD’

**The REAAA Governing Council, working with the Katahira Fund Committee and the Technical Committee, has developed a proposal for the funding of an award for authors of original papers published in the REAAA Journal. It will be known as the ‘Katahira Journal Award’.** It is hoped that the Award will encourage the submission of quality original papers for consideration for publication in the Journal.

With this, the Katahira Award has two categories – the Katahira Conference Award and the newly created Katahira Journal Award. The Katahira Conference Award is to be presented in conjunction with the premier event of the Association, the REAAA Conference. The next REAAA Conference is scheduled to be held in Seoul, Korea in September or October 2009.

### Prize Money

The Council at its 84<sup>th</sup> Meeting in Genting Highlands in November 2007, has accepted the proposal by the Katahira Fund Committee Chairman, Mr. Yasumasa Torii that, the prize money for the Katahira Journal Award be GBP500 or US\$1,000 which is equivalent to that of the winner at the REAAA Conference

### Entry Rules

- To be eligible for the Katahira Journal Award, either the first author or the second author (if there are multiple authors) must be under 40 years of age at the time of the submission of the paper and must be an Ordinary/ Associate member of REAAA or an employee of an organization which is an Institutional Member of REAAA or associated with the above-stated member/employee as co-author.
- The paper must not have been published elsewhere in the same form.



Papers published in REAAA Journal stand to win the Katahira Awards and the recognition of their works.



## PLEDGE TO BOOST MEMBERSHIP BY 10%

**A proposal by the Membership Promotions Committee to increase the REAAA membership by 10% has been well received.**

The proposal was tabled by the Committee Chairman, Dato' Sri Prof. Ir. Dr. Judin Abdul Karim at the 84<sup>th</sup> Council meeting in Genting Highlands, Malaysia on 22 November 2007. After deliberations, the meeting accepted the proposal to increase the membership by 10% which is the target for all chapters to achieve for next year. Other member countries are encouraged to achieve the target.

The membership strength as at 30 Sept. 2007 stood at 1,552 with Malaysia having the most number of members surpassing 600. Of the 1,552 members, 136 are Life members, 1229 Ordinary members, 34 Associate members, 149 Institutional members and four Honorary members.



Membership Promotions Committee Chairman Dato' Sri Prof. Ir. Dr. Judin Abdul Karim (right) presenting a proposal at the 84<sup>th</sup> Council meeting to increase the membership by 10% which is the target for all chapters to achieve for 2008

## NEWLY CREATED `KATAHIRA JOURNAL AWARD`

### Call for Papers for REAAA Journal

The aim of the REAAA Journal is to publish original work which assists in bringing new knowledge and insights to practitioners and decision-makers in the region. The Editorial Panel seeks to publish original technical papers, especially those reporting the results of recent research and development relating to roads.

Manuscripts will be judged on their scholarly merit and relevance to the Journal's readership by the Editorial Panel or reviewers nominated by the Panel. Papers will also be subjected to editorial review to maintain style, consistency and clarity of English expression prior to publication.

Unless notified by the author to the contrary, it will be assumed by the Editor that a submitted paper has not been published or offered elsewhere, and that the author holds full rights of publication. It is the author's responsibility to guarantee the authenticity of their papers and articles and to obtain the necessary permission and authorisation for material and photographs. The Editor and the Association are not responsible for the opinions expressed by the contributors.

The preferred format of the paper is electronic, either via e-mail or mailed CD. Papers for review should be sent by e-mail to: reaaa@po.jaring.my or the CD should be mailed to the Chairman of the REAAA Technical Committee, c/o ARRB Group, 500 Burwood Highway, Vermont South, Victoria, Australia 3133.

## Technical Tour

A technical tour in conjunction with the 84<sup>th</sup> Council meeting was organised for HORA Advisory Group members and REAAA Council members on 23 November 2007. They visited a road project which is under construction in the City centre of Kuala Lumpur.

Under the scope of work, a new link is connecting two roads—Sultan Ismail Road and Kampung Pandan Road with a two-lane dual carriageway road of 1.5 km and a bridge over Kampung Pandan roundabout and Tun Razak Road, and another new link connecting Pudu area to Barat Road with a two-lane dual carriageway road of 0.75 Km and a bridge over new link.

The project managed by the Public Works Department Malaysia, is part of Kuala Lumpur City Hall's plan to enhance its traffic dispersal system in the city.



Briefing for Council members and HORA delegates before taking them for a site visit of the project

## Seminar organised by REAM

HORA Advisory Group members and Council members led by Dr. Kyong-Soo Yoo were invited to attend a half-day seminar on Asphalt Specialty Mix on 23 November 2007 in conjunction with the 84<sup>th</sup> Council meeting. The seminar was jointly organised by the Public Works Department, Malaysia and the Road Engineering Association of Malaysia, REAM. The seminar was opened by REAM Deputy President Dato' Ir. Haji Mohamad bin Husin who is the Deputy Director General 1 of the Public Works Department, Malaysia.



Opening ceremony by Dato' Ir. Haji Mohamad bin Husin, Deputy Director General 1 of the Public Works Department, Malaysia cum REAM Deputy President



A well-attended seminar

More than 100 engineers from the various states in Malaysia attended the half-day seminar at First World Hotel, Genting Highlands.

Two engineers presented their professional experiences and findings on three relevant topics.

- `Polymer Modified Asphalt Concrete` by Ir. Mohd. Hizam bin Harun
- `Stone Mastic Asphalt & Gap Graded Asphalt` by Ir. Zulakmal bin Haji Suffian
- `Porous Asphalt` by Ir. Mohd. Hizam bin Harun

## Australian Chapter Report

This report describes the activities of the Australian Chapter for the period from April 2007 to October 2007.

### Australian Chapter Committee

The Australian Chapter committee met in July. The main business was to review activities and consider future activities. The committee had previously adopted the view that it should complement rather than compete with the activities of other organisations with overlapping potential memberships such as Engineers Australia. The committee has worked with Austroads, ARRB and AAPA and with other organisations to conduct activities of relevance to members of the Australian Chapter. Members have been invited to put forward suggestions on possible activities for 2007. There has been limited response.

The WA branch continues to be active. It has held several functions in the past four months with speakers including:

- Michael Heath, RACWA General Manager (Membership and Operations), on 'WA Perspective of the Austrian Motoring Association and Austrian Road and Freeway Operations'.
- Dr Norbert Deweiss the MD of ASFiNAG in Austria gave a breakfast address in August.

The WA Branch also held their AGM on 6 June. The office bearers for the WA branch elected at their AGM are as follows:

Chairman:	Phil Ladner
Deputy Chairman:	Gary Norwell
Secretary-Treasurer:	Brendan Marsh
Ordinary Member:	Chris Tatam Bob Peters Sarkis Petrossian Ralph Woon David Brown John White Philippa Simpson-Bint Paul James

1 honorary member  
3 life members  
115 individual members  
11 institutional members.

### Agreement between Austroads International Committee and the REAAA Australian Chapter

The Australian Chapter of REAAA works closely with Austroads, the association of Australian and New Zealand road authorities. The secretariat of the Australian Chapter is based with Austroads and the Australian Chapter website is incorporated with the Austroads website.

The Australian Chapter committee considered possible initiatives for 2007-08 including:

- VicRoads proposes to invite REAAA members to the VicRoads seminar on Network Operations being held in October. Presenters will be Andrew Wall and Ted Vincent from VicRoads.
- The Australian Asphalt Pavement Association (AAPA) is exploring opportunities of utilising a speaker from the AAPA Conference in October in Sydney for a session for REAAA members.
- Austroads members will be asked to assist in identifying possible visiting speakers for REAAA sessions.
- Austroads will be organising presentations from representatives on World Road Association technical committees. REAAA members could be invited to these sessions.

At its July meeting of the Australian Chapter committee endorsed fifteen new members most of whom are ARRB staff. The membership following endorsement of these new members was as follows:

Austroads is the primary link with the World Road Association (PIARC) in Australia. The International Committee (PIARC) is the national committee of Australia and New Zealand for the World Road Association.

It has been suggested that there could be benefits in establishing a formal agreement between the Austroads International Committee and the REAAA Australian Chapter. It would link the World Road Association activities in Australia to a broader membership; strengthen the links to between the two organisations in the Asia/Pacific and provide enhanced the benefits for the members of the REAAA Australian Chapter.

The suggestion will be put to the Austroads meeting in October for consideration. Subject to its in principle support, a draft agreement will then be prepared for consideration by REAAA Australian Chapter and the next Austroads Council meeting. The agreement could cover such things as provision of information on World Road Association technical committee activities to REAAA members and involving REAAA members in World Road Association activities conducted in Australia.



## BRUNEI CHAPTER REPORT

This report describes the activities of the Brunei Chapter for the period from May 2007 to Nov. 2007.

### List of Committee Members of Brunei Chapter and Executive Committee Meeting

The list of the Executive Committee Members of Brunei Chapter for the term 2006 to 2008 remains unchanged from that reported in the 83<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Governing Council.

The Brunei Chapter Committee:-

Chairman:	Dato Paduka Haji Othman bin Haji Yaakub
Vice Chairman:	Pengiran Kerma Raja Pengiran Haji Kamarulzaman
Honorary Secretary:	Haji Suhaimi bin Haji Gafar
Honorary Treasurer:	Kok Yuh Huh
Committee Members:	Haji Ismail bin Haji Md Jaafar Yee Kok On Haji Mazlan bin Haji Salim Bahrin bin Mohamad Yong Teck Chin

An Executive Committee Meeting was held on the 25<sup>th</sup> October 2007 to discuss several issues including the upcoming 84<sup>th</sup> REAAA Council Meeting to be held in Genting Highlands, Malaysia. Other issues discussed included a traffic safety management seminar and workshop, jointly organized by Public Works Department, Brunei and Brunei Chapter, as well as membership promotion for REAAA Brunei Chapter.

### Membership As At 31<sup>st</sup> October 2007

The membership strength as at 31<sup>st</sup> October 2007 stood at **65**.

Individual members	65
Institutional member	1

### Activities of REAAA (Brunei Chapter)

The 83<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Governing Council and the 6<sup>th</sup> HORA Meeting which were held from 9<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> May 2007 in Gyeonggi-do, Korea were attended by Haji Ismail bin Haji Mohd Jaafar, Director of Roads, Public Works Department, Brunei and Mr. Yee Kok On, Acting Senior Executive Engineer, Public Works Department, Brunei.

Among activities jointly organized by Public Works Department, Brunei and the Brunei Chapter included a Seminar and Workshop on 'Traffic Safety Management on Roads and Highways' facilitated by a renowned road transport expert, Professor Waheed Uddin, Ph.D., P.E. from the University of Mississippi, USA from the 19<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> November 2007 in Brunei Darussalam.

Members of REAAA Brunei Chapter also took part in the preparation for the 100 years celebration of the formation of Public Works Department, Brunei Darussalam which saw the official launching on the 30<sup>th</sup> August 2007 at the International Convention Centre, Brunei Darussalam.

## KOREAN CHAPTER REPORT

This report submitted by Chapter Chairman, Mr. Kwang-Ung Hwang, describes the activities of REAAA Korean Chapter for the period from May to October 2007.

### MEMBERSHIP

Total number of membership as of 31 October 2006 is 109.

- Ordinary members : 85
- Life members : 12
- Institutional members : 12

### MEETING

Second Executive Committee Meeting of 2007 was held on 18 July 2007 and the followings were discussed.

- Report on the results of the 83<sup>rd</sup> Council Meeting
- Report on the results of the 6<sup>th</sup> HORA Meeting
- Plan for attending the 84<sup>th</sup> Council Meeting
- Direction of the 13<sup>th</sup> REAAA Conference in 2009.

### PREPARATION FOR THE 13<sup>th</sup> REAAA CONFERENCE IN 2009

- Dates : October 2009
- Venue : Songdo Convensia (Incheon City) or Korea International Exhibition Center KINTEX (Goyang City)
- Organizing Committee will be formed in January 2008

## NEW ZEALAND CHAPTER REPORT

### Chapter Committee Members

The New Zealand Chapter committee:

Chairperson:	Richard Steel
Treasurer:	Richard Steel
Secretary:	Lisa Pallister
Committee Members:	Brendan Bisley Muir Coup Tony Brennand Peter Mortimer Chris Olsen Allan Tuck
	Janice Brass Bill Caradus Peter Hansby Rob Napier Chris Parkman

### Membership count as at 30 September 2007

Institutional Members	– 8
Corporate Members	– 8 (equivalent to ½ an institutional member)
Ordinary Members	– 80

### Committee meetings held between 1 April and 30 September 2007

The NZ Chapter Committee meetings have been held on:

4 May 2007  
15 June 2007  
18 July 2007  
17 August 2007

### Activities carried out between April 2007 to September 2007

- The autumn/winter newsletter published in June 2007 sent out in new email format linking to the chapter's website.
- Launch of the new redesigned chapter website at the 2007 Annual General Meeting.
- Annual General meeting held in conjunction with the Low Volume Roads Workshop on 18 July 2007.
- Low Volume Roads Workshop in July 2007.
- A very successful NZ Chapter annual roadshow was held over five days in September 2007.

### Future Activities to March 2008

- Continuing upgrading of the redesigned chapter's website including a searchable membership database.
- Publishing of a Spring/Summer newsletter in November 2007.
- Focus on generating revenue through the website.
- With high workloads throughout the industry we face a challenge in both organising and gaining attendance at events and functions. Initiatives being considered by the Chapter include a "Young Presenter" competition to be run in conjunction with next years Roadshow and a reactivation of regional breakfast meetings with a local topic for presentation and discussion.

## PHILIPPINE CHAPTER REPORT

The report submitted by Chairman Mr. Jaime Pajara informed that the Executive Committee Members of the last 12<sup>th</sup> REAAA Conference held in Manila had a series of meetings for the post conference.

With regards to the issue on the merging of the REAP & REAAA Philippine Chapter which was reported by Mr. Jesus Cammayo last meeting of the 83<sup>rd</sup> REAAA Governing Council in Korea on May 10, 2007, both were agreed not to merge the two Associations, after a series of consultation with its Members.

With the present new sets of Committee Members, the Chapter would be involved actively on such activities such as to strengthen its individual membership to the REAAA, like collecting all overdue accounts, recruiting additional new members and organizing technical seminars which will bring benefits among its members.

### The new sets of Chapter Committee Members for 2007-2008

<b>Chairman:</b>	Rafael C. Yabut
<b>Deputy Chairman:</b>	Jesus P. Cammayo
<b>Secretary:</b>	Isaac S. David
<b>Treasurer:</b>	Leonardo A. Nuñez
<b>Immediate Past Chairman:</b>	Jaime Pajara
<b>Adviser :</b>	Salvador A. Pleyto
<b>Committee Members:</b>	
Mocamad M. Raki-in, Sr.	Juanito P. Abergas
Anesia B. Mercado	Oscar C. Aurellano
Gloria C. Briones	Jerome dela Rosa
Reynaldo S. Perez	Ricardo Interior

### REAAA Philippine Membership as of January 7, 2007:

Institutional-1, Associate-2, Life-25, Ordinary-124

### REAP ANNUAL CONVENTION

The Road Engineering Association of the Philippines, REAP held its Annual Convention on October 4-5, 2007 in Baguio City. The Convention themed "Sustainable Road & Traffic Management and Development." was attended by 278 participants. Technical sessions were organized.

The highlight of the Convention was the election of Officers and Board of Directors to run the association for the year 2007-2008.

### REAP OFFICERS:

<b>President:</b>	Bashir D. Rasuman
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Vice-President:</b>	Bernardo N. Buenaventura
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Vice- President:</b>	Mariano R. Alquiza
<b>Secretary:</b>	Philip F. Menez
<b>Treasurer:</b>	Bonifacio O. Seguit
<b>P.R.O.:</b>	Anesia B. Bautista
<b>Business Manager:</b>	Sinaolan T. Macarambon
<b>Auditor:</b>	Juanito P. Abergas
<b>Board of Directors:</b>	
Romeo U. Aquino	Alfredo Adriano
Efren L. David	Subair S. Diron
Nathanel V. Fernandez	Romeo S. Momo
Jaime A. Pacanan	
<b>Immediate Past President:</b>	Jesus P. Cammayo

The newly-elected REAP Officers and Board of Directors were officially inducted into Office on October 26, 2007.

# ROAD ENGINEERING ASSOCIATION OF MALAYSIA

## Council Members for the term April 2007 – April 2009

The biennial elections held on 1 June 2007 saw the election / nomination of the following members to the Governing Council:

Dato' Sri Ir. Dr. Judin bin Abdul Karim	- President
Dato' Ir. Haji Mohamad bin Husin	- Deputy President
Tan Sri Dato' Ir. Talha bin Haji Mohd. Hashim	- Past President
Tan Sri Dato' Ir. Wan A. Rahman Yaacob	- Past President
Tan Sri Dato' Ir. Zaini bin Omar	- Past President
Dato' Sri Prof. Ir. Dr. Wahid bin Omar	- Past President
Dato' Ir. Dr. Ashaari bin Mohamad	- Hon. Secretary General
Dato' Ir. Jeffrey Choong Moh Kheng	- Hon. Treasurer General
Dato' Ir. Chew Swee Hock	- Council Member
Dato' Ir. Dr. Azmi bin Hassan	- Council Member
Datuk Ir. Md. Amir bin Kasim	- Council Member
Prof. Ir. Dr. Radin Umar bin Radin Sohadi	- Council Member
Ir. Han Joke Kwang	- Council Member
Ir. Haji Abdul Latif bin Mohd. Som	- Council Member
Ir. Kor Chan Wah	- Council Member
Ir. Hew Yoon Leong	- Council Member
Ir. Ismail bin Md. Salleh	- Council Member
Ir. Dr. Leong Siew Mun	- Council Member

## REAM activities

The year 2007 has been an active period for REAM in terms of the activities organised. Events with added value and of benefit and interest to members in particular and the industry in general were successfully organised. Support from government agencies and

individuals and institutional REAM members from the corporate sector have been, as always, overwhelming.

## Malaysian Road Conference (MRC) Organising Committee

The biennial MRC, 7<sup>th</sup> in its series was held from 17 to 19 July 2007 at the Sunway Convention Centre, Petaling Jaya. The overwhelming response surpassed the Organising Committee's target in the areas of participation in the conference and exhibition.

## Training, Research and Development Committee

The 5-module Road Safety Audit Training Programme (RSA) which includes a competency test continues to be the most popular programme among the road engineering fraternity. This programme has been scheduled from 19 – 23 November 2007.

## Participation in overseas events

During the period under review, REAM organised delegations to the following events:

- Road and the Environment Conference in Geneva, Switzerland from 3 to 8 February 2007
- ITS Canada 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference at Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada from 30 April to 1 May 2007.
- International Conference and Exhibition on Advanced Characterisation of Pavement and Soil Engineering Materials in Athens, Greece from 17 to 23 June 2007
- 23<sup>rd</sup> World Road Congress in Paris, France and REAM's Post-Congress Technical Tour to Lucerne, Switzerland from 15 – 23 September 2007
- International Conference on Road Safety & Simulation (RSS 2007) in Rome and Pre Conference Study Tour to Venice, Florence and Pisa, Italy from 2 to 10 November 2007

# REAAA NEW MEMBERS

The membership strength as at 30 September 2007 is 1552. The REAAA Council and Chapters have approved 99 new members for the period between from 1 April 2007 and September 2007.

Life	17
Ordinary	81
Associate	1
Total	99

The list of members approved by the 84<sup>th</sup> Council meeting on 22 November 2007.

## Life Members

1	Haji Hamizan bin Mohd Inzan (Dato' Ir.)	REAM
2	Alpadzul bin Abu Hassan (Ir)	REAM
3	Chew Kin Ping, Lawrence	REAM
4	Dennis Ganendra (Dato' Ir. Dr.)	REAM
5	Ng Lian Been	REAM
6	Ismail b Mohamed Taib (Ir. Dr)	REAM
7	Aishah bt Othman (Ir)	REAM
8	Dang Anom Binti Md Zin (Ir)	REAM
9	Wan Suraya bt Mustaffa (Ir)	REAM
10	Lai Khin Onn (Ir)	REAM
11	Abdul Rahman Baharuddin (Ir)	REAM
12	Johari Emby (Ir)	REAM
13	Zulakmal Hj Sufian (Ir)	REAM
14	Abdul Motalif bin Abdul Hameed (Ir)	REAM
15	Raziah binti Wahab (Ir)	REAM

16	Jamilah binti Mohd Marjan (Ir)	REAM
17	Rohana Bt Yaakub	REAM

## Ordinary Members

1	Lye Munn Wai	REAM
2	Wong Tai Wai	REAM
3	Mohd Ezree bin Abdullah	REAM
4	Somasuntharam a/l Chinniah (Ir)	REAM
5	Mohd Bazly bin Said	REAM
6	Tob Weng Keong	REAM
7	Aram Kornsombut	Thailand
8	Tavepatana Tinamas	Thailand
9	Chayatan Phromsorn	Thailand
10	Tarnin Phanichewa	Thailand
11	Visit Achayanontgit	Thailand
12	Chullaphan Chullabodhi	Thailand
13	Anant Vongphanich	Thailand
14	Vongchai Jarernswan	Thailand
15	Pongsak Dej-Udom	Thailand
16	Tan Chin Nyan (Ir)	REAM
17	Noor Azharuddin bin Saad	REAM
18	Syed Ismail bin Syed Yusoff (Ir)	REAM
19	John Yo Liew	REAM
20	Imran Azim bin Azharuddin	REAM
21	Aida Yazrin binti Mohamad Khairi	REAM
22	David Rolland	Australia
23	Paul Hillier	Australia
24	Dr. Mary Lydon	Australia
25	Richard Yeo	Australia



## REAAA NEW MEMBERS

26 Barry Jan	Australia
27 Mike Shackleton	Australia
28 Tyrone Toole	Australia
29 Lori Mooren	Australia
30 David McTierman	Australia
31 Rob Mcinerney	Australia
32 Bruce Clayton	Australia
33 Jon Bilson	Australia
34 Robert C Anderson	Australia
35 Ken Stevenson	New Zealand
36 Raj Mallela	New Zealand
37 Nabin Pradhan	New Zealand
38 Ross Ashby	New Zealand
39 Tony Keyte	New Zealand
40 Greg Arnold	New Zealand
41 Timothy Warren	New Zealand
42 Bruce Fox	New Zealand
43 Damien Hense	Australia
44 Guy John Moore	Australia
45 Paul Fourie	Australia
46 Richard Jois	Australia
47 Roger Gutteridge	Australia
48 Abra DeKlerk	Australia
49 Yoganathan a/l Shanmugam	REAM
50 Chan Yee Yan	REAM
51 Din Mohammad Khafa bin Khalid (Ir)	REAM
52 Dennis Chia Kee Meau (Ir)	REAM
53 Ahmad Zawawi bin Mustafa	REAM
54 Ling Tung Chai	REAM
55 Teo Nguong Leong	REAM
56 Lee Lin Jye	REAM
57 Meehan Jorai	REAM
58 Yusop bin Mahli (Ir)	REAM
59 Masri bin Haji Ahmad (Ir)	REAM
60 Shamsulakmar bin Abdul Munir	REAM
61 Azhar bin Yusof	REAM
62 Zulkafly bin Mohd Napiah (Ir)	REAM
63 Jeza bin Md Diah	REAM
64 Mustapa bin Hj Kassim (Ir)	REAM
65 Haryati Yaacob (Dr)	REAM
66 Wan Nazari bin Wan Jusoh (Ir)	REAM
67 Nordiana binti Mashros	REAM
68 Norhidayah Abdul Hassan	REAM
69 Abdul Rani bin Ghazali (Ir)	REAM
70 Kahadi bin Hassan	REAM
71 Han Shee Kwang (Ir)	REAM
72 Tee Horng Hean (Ir. Dr.)	REAM
73 Tee Tong Kher (Ir)	REAM
74 Zulkhairi bin Hasan (Ir)	REAM
75 Goh Shu Wei	REAM
76 Muhammad Masrizal bin Saad	REAM
77 Lim Chiaw Wah (Ir)	REAM
78 Warren Smith	Australia
79 Douglas Bruce	Australia
80 Scott Matthews	Australia
81 Kym Neaylon	Australia

### Associate Member

1 Koh Ho Kheng	REAM
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### Members Resigned / Lost Contact/Deceased

#### Institutional Members

1 Percon Corporation Sdn Bhd	REAM
2 Binaan Setegap Sdn Bhd	REAM
3 Puncabahan Sdn Bhd	REAM
4 RWW Manufacturing Sdn Bhd	REAM
5 Selia Selenggara Sdn Bhd	REAM

#### Associate Members

1 Ho Chee Siong	REAM
2 Zambri bin Osman	REAM
3 Kek Teng Kay, Desmond	REAM

#### Ordinary Members

1 Teo Kai Seng	REAM
2 Tan Seng Khoon	REAM
3 Subramaniam, Mahadev	REAM

4 Kho Tee Keow	REAM
5 Mohd Tahir b Hj Abd Manan (Dato)	REAM
6 Khairuddin b Din	REAM
7 Abdul Rahman Yaacob	REAM
8 Abdul Shokri Mohd Dahan	REAM
9 Khoo Nang Seng	REAM
10 Khor Kin Leang	REAM
11 Lee Lit Ming	REAM
13 Tan Soon Geok	REAM
14 Chong Chee Huat	REAM
15 Tan Kee Lian	REAM
16 Chuai Teck @ Chai Teck	REAM
17 Tiong K M Raymond	REAM
18 Chan Yan Wee	REAM
19 Yik Kok Weng, Johnson	REAM
20 Raman Krishnan	REAM
21 Lee Swee Kee	REAM
22 Yeo Poh Meng	REAM
23 Chao, Johnson	REAM
24 Omar b Ibrahim (Tan Sri Dato Ir. Hj)	REAM
25 Mohamed bin Besah	REAM
26 Haji Ishak bin Mohd Ibrahim	REAM
27 Halimmi bin Hashim	REAM
28 Liew Hau Seng	REAM
29 Chia Lui Meng	REAM
30 Khalil bin Ahmad @ Mat	REAM
31 Kamarudin bin Mahmood	REAM
32 Ridzwan Zainal Abidin	REAM
33 Mohd Saleh Jaafar (Dr)	REAM
34 Huang Ying Yi	REAM
35 Zainudin bin Omar (Ir)	REAM
36 Lukman Najib bin Mohd Zain (Ir)	REAM
37 Mak See	REAM
38 Ravi Shankar a/l R. Ayappan	REAM
39 Lee Hui Seng	REAM
40 Zolkipli b Aziz (Ir)	REAM
41 Ramachandran Marimuthu	REAM
42. Lee Sheu Tiong	REAM
43. Haji Ghazali bin Md Nor (Dato' Ir)	REAM
44 Lim Tee Pok	REAM
45 Zulkefli bin Ahmed	REAM
46 Low Wooi Siong	REAM
47 R Jaya Raj a/l Rajaretnam	REAM
48 Mohd Hisham Hashim	REAM
49 Lim Eng Hwa	REAM
50 Shirajuddin Sirat	REAM
51 Lo Kang Lu	REAM
52 Mohd Shukri bin Md Yunus	REAM
53 Wong Kwang Seng	REAM
54 Lim Yek Lan	REAM
55 Lean Kok Woei	REAM
56 Roger Cruickshank	REAM
57 Wan Buliana Wan Senik	REAM
58 Loo Say Beng	REAM
59 Chung Keat Wei	REAM
60 Wan Zulkifli bin Wan Muda	REAM
61 Azman Aminudin bin Haji Ahmad	REAM
62 Rozlan bin Ismail (Ir)	REAM
63 Ahmad Zawawi bin Mohamed (Ir)	REAM
64 Mohd Ridzuan bin Mohd Ali	REAM
65 Martin Bloxam	New Zealand
66 Reece Burnett	New Zealand
67 George Jason Smith	New Zealand
68 Arthur Batakin	New Zealand
69 Dragan Belanovic	New Zealand
70 Grant Sime	New Zealand
71 Stephen Killeen	New Zealand
72 Daves Adam	New Zealand
73 Lou Rho	Australia
74 John White	Australia

### Status Changed From Ordinary To Life Members

1 Alpadzul bin Abu Hassan (Ir)	REAM
2 Chew Kin Ping, Lawrence	REAM
3 Dennis Ganendra (Dato' Ir. Dr.)	REAM
4 Ng Lian Been	REAM
5 Razhiah binti Wahab (Ir)	REAM
6 Jamilah binti Mohd Marjan (Ir)	REAM

# FORTHCOMING CONFERENCES

## January 2008

**22-25 World of Concrete**  
 Venue Las Vegas, USA  
 Contact Hanley /wood Exhibitions  
 Tel +1 972 536 6370  
 Email contactus@worldofconcrete.com  
 Website www.worldofconcrete.com

## February 2008

**12-14 27<sup>th</sup> Winter Road Congress**  
 Venue Turku, Finland  
 Contact Jaakko Rahja  
 Tel +358 4000 423 871  
 Email jaakko.rahja@tieyhdistys.fi

## March 2008

**5-9 Samoter 2008 Construction Equipment Exhibition**  
 Venue Verona, Italy  
 Contact Veronafiere  
 Tel +39 045 829 8285  
 Email info@veronafiere.it  
 Website www.samoter.com

**11-15 ConExpo-ConAgg**  
 Venue Las Vegas, USA  
 Contact The Organisers  
 Tel +1 414 298 4141  
 Fax +1 414 272 2672  
 Email info@conexpoconagg.com  
 Website www.conexpoconagg.com

## April 2008

**1-4 Intertraffic Amsterdam 2008**  
 Venue Amsterdam, RAI, The Netherlands  
 Contact Albert de soet,  
 Senior Sales Manager Intertraffic  
 Tel +31 20 549 2216  
 Email a.d.soet@rai.nl  
 Website www.intertraffic.com

**14-15 3<sup>rd</sup> European Asphalt Technology Association (EATA) Conference**  
 Venue Lyon, France  
 Contact The Organisers  
 Tel  
 Email eata08@entpe.fr  
 Website www.heberge.icpc.fr/eata08/index.html

**21-24 Transport Research Arena (TRA) Europe 2008**  
 Venue Ljubljana, Slovenia  
 Contact Mrs Suzana Svetlicic  
 Tel +386 130 68325  
 Fax +386 1430 1562  
 Email info@tra2008.si  
 Website www.traconference.com

**22-26 SMOPYC, International Show of Public Works, Construction and Mining Machinery**  
 Venue Zaragoza, Spain  
 Contact Feria de Zaragoza  
 Tel +34 976 76 47 00  
 Fax +34 976 33 06 49  
 Email info@feriazaragoza.es  
 Website www.sferiazaragoza.es  
 www.smpopyc.com

**24-26 Intertraffic China 2008**  
 Venue Beijing Exhibition Center, China  
 Contact Albert de soet,  
 Senior Sales Manager Intertraffic  
 Tel +31 20 549 2216  
 Email a.d.soet@rai.nl  
 Website www.intertraffic.com

## May 2008

**11-14 2<sup>nd</sup> International Surface Friction Conference**  
 Venue The Centaur – Cheltenham, England, UK  
 Organisers WDM Ltd, Highways Agency and Transit New Zealand  
 Contact Douceline Van Arts  
 Tel +64 4 496 6675  
 Fax +64 4 496 6608  
 Email douceline.vanarts@transit.govt.nz  
 Website www.saferoads.org.uk

**21-23 The 4<sup>th</sup> Eurasphalt & Eurobitume (E&E) Congress 2008**  
 Venue Copenhagen, Denmark  
 Contact Viviane Dupont,  
 Eurobitume Secretariat  
 Tel +32 2 566 9140  
 Email info@eecongress.org  
 Website www.eecongress.org

## June 2008

**4-6 85<sup>th</sup> Meeting of REAAA Governing Council**  
**7<sup>th</sup> Heads of Road Authorities (HORA) Meeting**  
 Venue Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia  
 Contact Executive Secretary  
 Tel +6 03 5513 6380  
 Fax +6 03 5513 6390  
 Email reaaa@po.jaring.my



## July 2008

**27-29 1<sup>st</sup> International Sprayed Sealing Conference 2008**  
 Venue Adelaide, Australia  
 Contact Christina Chin, Technical Secretary  
 Tel +61 3 9881 1669  
 Fax +61 3 9887 8104  
 Email christina.chin@arrb.com.au / ss08@arrb.com.au  
 Website www.arrb.com.au/conferences

## July 2008/August 2008

**30-1 23<sup>rd</sup> ARRB Conference**  
 Venue Adelaide, Australia  
 Contact Kathy Van Heer, Technical Secretary  
 Tel +61 3 9881 1538  
 Fax +61 3 9887 8104  
 Email 23conf@arrb.com.au  
 Website www.arrb.com.au/conferences

## May 2009

**26-30 Austroads Bridge Conference**  
 Venue Auckland, New Zealand  
 Organisers Transit New Zealand  
 Contact Douceline Van Arts  
 Tel +64 4 496 6675  
 Fax +64 4 496 6608  
 Email douceline.vanarts@transit.govt.nz

## August 2010

**1-5 11<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Asphalt Pavements**  
 Venue Nagoya Aichi, Japan  
 Organisers Japan Road Association, International Society for Asphalt Pavements  
 Fax +81 3 3561 2232  
 Email info@icap2010.jp

## JOB OPPORTUNITY

REAAA Secretariat is seeking suitable candidate to be employed as **Technical Executive** who will be based in Shah Alam, Selangor, Malaysia. One of the main duties is to assist the Secretariat to liaise with member countries to collect information and statistics relating to roads and transportation, which will then be made readily available or accessible to members. The candidate should have a strong technical and engineering background, preferably an engineer.

### Requirements:

- Post graduate/Graduate qualification with several years of working experience
- Sound knowledge of the road related industry in Asia & Pacific Region
- Strong statistical and analytical abilities to research, compile, analyse and develop primary and secondary data
- Excellent knowledge of communicating data gathered as useful information in written form for external use, publication and website
- Excellent command in English language, IT literate
- Must be creative, self directed and able to work independently on multiple projects at the same time
- Age is not a main factor. Retired engineers who are healthy are encouraged to apply
- Malaysian citizen

### Job Scope:

- To liaise with REAAA member countries to collect information and statistics relating to roads and transportation, projects and tenders
- To make readily available and accessible the collected information to members
- To update the content of the REAAA Website with the collected information
- To prepare technical papers based on collected information for REAAA Journal
- To prepare news items to be published in the REAAA Newsletter
- To establish a good working relationship with member countries and non-member countries/organisations

Please submit your resume, expected salary and a recent (non returnable) photograph to the Honorary Secretary General, REAAA  
 46B, Jalan Bola Tampar 13/4, Section 13, 40100 Shah Alam, Malaysia. Email: reaaa@po.jaring.my Fax: +603 5513 6390